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Providing for consideration of the Senate amendment to the bill (H.R. 3996) to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to extend certain expiring provisions, and for other purposes.

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December 19, 2007. --Referred to the House Calendar and ordered to be printed

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Ms. Slaughter, from the Committee on Rules

submitted the following

## REPORT

[To accompany H. Res. \_\_\_\_]

The Committee on Rules, having had under consideration House Resolution \_\_\_\_, by a non-record vote, report the same to the House with the recommendation that the resolution be adopted.

## SUMMARY OF PROVISIONS OF THE RESOLUTION

The resolution provides for consideration of the Senate amendment to the bill, H.R. 3996, the "Temporary Tax Relief Act of 2007." The resolution provides that it is in order for the chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means to make a motion that the House concur in the Senate amendment to H.R. 3996.

The resolution waives all points of order against consideration of the motion. The resolution provides that the Senate amendment and the motion shall be considered as read. It further provides that the motion shall be debatable for one hour equally divided and controlled by the chairman and ranking minority member of the Committee on Ways and Means. The resolution provides that, notwithstanding the operation of the previous question, the Chair may postpone further consideration of the motion to a time designated by the Speaker.

## EXPLANATION OF WAIVERS

The waiver of all points of order against the motion includes a waiver of clause 10 of rule XXI (prohibiting consideration of a measure if the provisions of such measure affecting direct spending and revenues have the net effect of increasing the deficit or reducing the surplus for a specified period of time).

## COMMITTEE VOTES

The results of each record vote on an amendment or motion to report, together with the names of those voting for and against, are printed below:

### Rules Committee Record Vote No. 419

**Date:** December 19, 2007

**Measure:** Senate amendment to H.R. 3996

**Motion By:** Mr. Hastings (WA)

**Summary of Motion:** To make in order and provide appropriate waivers for an amendment by Rep. Hastings (WA), #1, which would extend the state and local sales tax deduction until January 1, 2009.

**Results:** Defeated 4-8

#### Vote by Member:

MCGOVERN	NAY
HASTINGS (FL)	
MATSUI	NAY
CARDOZA	NAY
WELCH	NAY
CASTOR	NAY
ARCURI	NAY
SUTTON	NAY
DREIER	YEA
DIAZ-BALART	YEA
HASTINGS (WA)	YEA
SESSIONS	YEA
SLAUGHTER	NAY

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**IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES**

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**RESOLUTION**

Providing for consideration of the Senate amendment to the bill (H.R. 3996) to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to extend certain expiring provisions, and for other purposes.

*Resolved*, That upon adoption of this resolution it shall be in order to take from the Speaker's table the bill (H.R. 3996) to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to extend certain expiring provisions, and for other purposes, with the Senate amendment thereto, and to consider in the House, without intervention of any point of order, a motion offered by the chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means or his designee that the House concur in the Senate amendment. The Senate amendment and the motion shall be considered as read. The motion shall be debatable for one hour equally divided and controlled by the chairman and ranking minority member of the Committee on Ways and Means. The previous question shall be considered as ordered on the motion to its adoption without intervening motion.

Sec. 2. During consideration of the motion to concur pursuant to this resolution, notwithstanding the operation of the previous question, the Chair may postpone further consideration of the motion to such time as may be designated by the Speaker.